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FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF REVISED AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 2
(A/C.6/L.937) SPONSORED BY BELGIUM, SPAIN AND THAILAND,
WHICH CIRCULATED IN LEGAL COMITE OCT 23:

BEGIN TEXT:

DRAFT CONVENTION ON THE PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT
OF CRIMES AGAINST DIPLOMATIC AGENTS AND OTHER
INTERNATIONALLY PROTECTED PERSONS

ARTICLE 2

BELGIUM, SPAIN AND THAILAND: AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE 2

1. IT SHALL BE A CRIME INTENTIONALLY TO COMMIT, REGARDLESS
OF MOTIVE,

(A) A MURDER, KIDNAPPING OR OTHER ATTACK UPON AN
INTERNATIONALLY PROTECTED PERSON LIKELY TO CAUSE
DEATH OR SERIOUS BODILY HARM, OR SERIOUSLY TO AFFECT

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HIS LIBERTY;

(B) AN ATTACK UPON THE OFFICIAL PREMISES, PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION OR MEANS OF TRANSPORT OF AN INTERNATIONALLY PROTECTED PERSON WHICH SERIOUSLY ENDANGERS HIS PERSON OR LIBERTY.

2. EACH STATE PARTY SHALL CONSIDER THESE ACTS TO BE CRIMES UNDER ITS INTERNAL LAW, AS WELL AS:

(A) A THREAT OR ATTEMPT TO COMMIT ONE OF THE CRIMES MENTIONED IN PARAGRAPH 1 OF THIS ARTICLE;

(B) PARTICIPATION AS AN ACCOMPLICE IN THE COMMISSION OF SUCH A CRIME OR AN ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUCH A CRIME.

3. EACH STATE PARTY UNDERTAKES TO MAKE THE CRIME PUNISHABLE BY SEVERE PENALTIES. END TEXT.
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